Liber No. 52 April 24

L. H. J. transmit the Address to his Majesty, to Mr. Benjamin Franklin in London, to be by him presented to his Majesty.

> Ordered, That Dr. Steuart and Mr. Edmondson do acquaint his Excellency the Governor, That no Public Business lies before this House to transact.

> Richard Lee, Esq; from the Upper House, delivers to Mr. Speaker, the following Message:

> > By the Upper House of Assembly, 24th April, 1762.

p. 84 Gentlemen.

Your Message of the Sixteenth Instant is of so extraordinary a Nature, both in Language and Sentiment, [This lengthy message beginning thus is printed in full in the Upper House journal, pp. 56-64

Which was Read, and Ordered to lie on the Table. p. 90

Samuel Chamberlaine, and Edward Lloyd, Esquires, from the Upper House, acquaint Mr. Speaker, That the Governor requires the Attendance of this House immediately in the Upper House.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair, and (with the Rest of the Members of the Lower House) went to the Upper House, and there presented to his Excellency the Governor,

An Ingrossed Bill, entituled, An Act continuing an Act, entituled, An Act to exempt Persons, appearing at Musters, from Arrests in Civil Cases.

An Ingrossed Bill, entituled, An Act continuing an Act, entituled, An Act to prevent certain Evils and Inconveniencies attending the Sale of strong Liquors, and running of Horse-Races, near the yearly Meetings of the People called Quakers; and to prevent the tumultuous Concourse of Negroes and other Slaves during the said Meetings; and also one other Act, entituled, An Act to amend and explain an Act, entituled, An Act to prevent certain Evils and Inconveniencies attending the Sale of strong Liquors, and running of Horse-Races, near the yearly Meetings of the People called Quakers; and to prevent the tumultuous Concourse of Negroes and other Slaves during the said Meetings.

An Ingrossed Bill entituled, An Act continuing an Act, entituled, An Act for Punishment of Horse-Stealers, and other Offenders.

An Ingrossed Bill, entituled, An Act continuing an Act, entituled, An Act for the more effectual Punishment of certain Offenders, and for taking from them the Benefit of Clergy.

An Ingrossed Bill, entituled, An Act continuing an Act, entituled, An additional and explanatory Act to the Act, entituled, An Act impowering the Commissioners of the County Courts to levy and raise Tobacco, to defray the necessary Charges of their Counties and Parishes.

An Ingrossed Bill, entituled, An Act continuing an Act, entituled, An Act relating to Guardians and Orphans.